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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
3. Specification [Total pages 52]
 - 49 - pages description
 - 1 - pages abstract
 - 2 - pages claims
 - 11 - Total claims
4. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total sheets 5]
 - Informal Formal [Total drawings 7]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total pages 2]
 - a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. Copy from a prior application
 - i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

If 5b is checked the entire disclosure of prior applications,

Serial No. 09/021,247, filed February 10, 1998, entitled "NEUROPROTECTIVE PEPTIDES AND USES THEREOF," now U.S. Patent No. 6,225,444 B1.

from which an oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as part of the disclosure of the accompanying application as is hereby incorporated by reference therein. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.
6. Application Data Sheet, See 37 CFR 1.76

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 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. Assignment Papers/cover sheet & documents(s)
10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement
(when there is an assignee)
 - Power of Attorney
11. English Translation of Document *(if applicable)*
12. Information Disclosure Statement PTO-1449
 - Copies of IDS Citations
13. Preliminary Amendment
14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)(2)(B)(ii)
17. Other:

18. NOTE TO PRACTITIONERS: If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, supply the requisite priority or continuity information in (1) the body of the application, or in a preliminary amendment, and (2) in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.

This application is a continuation of and claims priority to application serial number 09/810,863, filed March 16, 2001, entitled "Neuroprotective Peptides and Uses Thereof," now allowed, which is a divisional of and claims priority to application serial number 09/021,247, filed February 10, 1998, entitled "Neuroprotective Peptides and Uses Thereof," now U.S. Patent No. 6,225,444, issued May 1, 2001, the entire disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.

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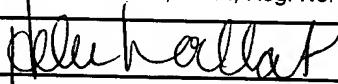
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